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PATENT: Mail Stop AF Customer No. 22,852

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Н	olly HOGREFE et al.) Group Art Unit: 1652
Application No.: 08/957,709) Examiner: D. Ramirez
Filed: O	ctober 24, 1997	
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Sir:

Applicants appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision mailed August 9, 2005.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on [Date] extending the period for response to [Date].
- 2. A Petition for extension of time to futher extend the period for response to February 9, 2006 is enclosed together with a fee of \$1,020.00.
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